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<b>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</b>		<small>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</small> <b>70020.0070USWO</b>	
		<small>U.S. APPLICATION SERIAL NO.</small> <b>To Be Assigned</b>	<small>CONFIRMATION NO</small>
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<small>INVENTOR(S)</small> <b>Kouichi FUJIWARA, et al.</b>	<small>EXAMINER</small> <b>To Be Assigned</b>	<small>GROUP ART UNIT</small>	
<small>TITLE OF APPLICATION</small> <b>ACRYLIC POLYMER AND RADIATION-SENSITIVE RESIN COMPOSITION</b>			

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application  
as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.